

Atty. Docket No.: VI/99-024.CIP

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Continuation-In-Part Application of: )  
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GRIFFITHS, et al. ) Art Unit: 2821  
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Serial No.: 10/064,846 )  
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Filed: August 22, 2002 ) Examiner: To be assigned  
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For: COMMUNICATION SYSTEMS )  
FOR USE WITH MAGNETIC )  
RESONANCE IMAGING SYSTEMS )

REQUEST TO CORRECT INVENTORSHIP  
UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.48(a)(1)

Commissioner for Patents  
P. O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

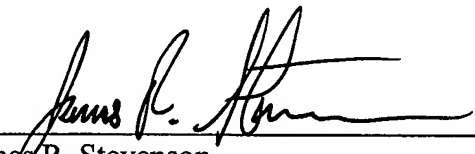
Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.48(a), Applicants hereby request to correct the inventorship of the above-identified continuation-in-part application by including Messr. John A. Brosovich as an inventor thereof.

In support of this Request, Applicants submit the following documents: (1) a Statement from the person(s) being added as an inventor (i.e., Messr. John A. Brosovich) that the error in inventorship occurred without any deceptive intention on his part; (2) a Declaration by the actual inventors as required by 37 C.F.R. § 1.63; (3) the processing fee set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(i); and (4) a Statement from Medrad, Inc., the Assignee of this patent application, consenting to the change in inventorship.

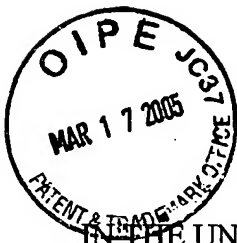
The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the \$130.00 petition fee required under 37 C.F.R § 1.17(i) to Deposit Account No. 13-2530. A duplicate copy of this Request is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

Dated: May 28 2003

  
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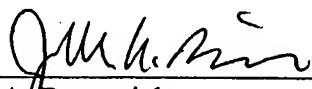
STATEMENT OF JOHN A. BROSOVICH  
UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.48(a)(2)

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Dear Sir:

I, John A. Brosovich, hereby state that the error of failing to include me as an inventor of the above-identified continuation-in-part application occurred without any deceptive intention on my part.

Dated: May 19, 2003

  
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John A. Brosovich

## **ASSIGNMENT**

WHEREAS, I, **John A. Brosovich**, a citizen and resident of the United States of America, whose post office address is 1515 Orchlee Street, Pittsburgh, PA 15212 (hereinafter collectively referred to as ASSIGNOR), have invented within the United States and own a certain invention entitled

### **COMMUNICATION SYSTEMS FOR USE WITH MAGNETIC RESONANCE IMAGING SYSTEMS**

which is described in an application for Letters Patent of the United States of America filed on August 22, 2002 and assigned application Serial No. 10/064,846; and

WHEREAS, Medrad, Inc., a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of Delaware and having a place of business at One Medrad Drive, Indianola, PA 15051 (hereinafter referred to as ASSIGNEE), is desirous of acquiring the entire interest in, to and under said invention and in, to and under Letters Patent or similar legal protection to be obtained therefor in the United States and in any and all foreign countries.

NOW, THEREFORE, TO ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN, be it known that in consideration of the payment by ASSIGNEE to ASSIGNOR of the sum of One Dollar (\$1.00), the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, and for other good and valuable consideration, ASSIGNOR hereby sells, assigns and transfers to ASSIGNEE the full and exclusive right, title and interest to said invention in the United States and its territorial possessions and in all foreign countries, said application for Letters Patent, and any and all issued Letters Patent or similar legal protection in the United States and its territorial possessions and in any and all foreign countries to be obtained for said invention by said application or any continuation, divisional, renewal, substitute or reissue thereof or any legal equivalent thereof in a foreign country for the full term or terms for which the same may be granted.

ASSIGNOR hereby authorizes and requests the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to issue said Letters Patent of the United States to ASSIGNEE.

ASSIGNOR hereby covenants that no assignment, sale, agreement or encumbrance has been or will be made or entered into which would conflict with this assignment and sale; and

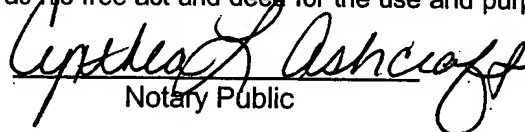
ASSIGNOR further covenants that ASSIGNEE will, upon its request, be provided promptly with all pertinent facts and documents relating to said application, said invention and said Letters Patent and legal equivalents in foreign countries as may be known and accessible to ASSIGNOR and will testify as to the same in any interference or litigation related thereto and will promptly execute and deliver to ASSIGNEE or its legal representative any and all papers, instruments or affidavits required to apply for, obtain, maintain, issue and enforce said application, said invention and said Letters Patent and said equivalents thereof in any foreign country which may be necessary or desirable to carry out the purposes thereof.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 19 day of May, 2003.

  
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John A. Brosovich

STATE OF Pennsylvania )  
COUNTY OF Allegheny ) ss.  
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BE IT KNOWN, that on this 19<sup>th</sup> day of May, 2003, before me personally came John A. Brosovich, to me known to be the person mentioned in and who executed the foregoing assignment, and he acknowledged to me that he executed the same as his free act and deed for the use and purposes therein mentioned.

  
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Notary Public

Notarial Seal  
Cynthia L. Ashcraft, Notary Public  
Indiana Twp., Allegheny County  
My Commission Expires Oct. 11, 2004  
Member, Pennsylvania Association of Notaries